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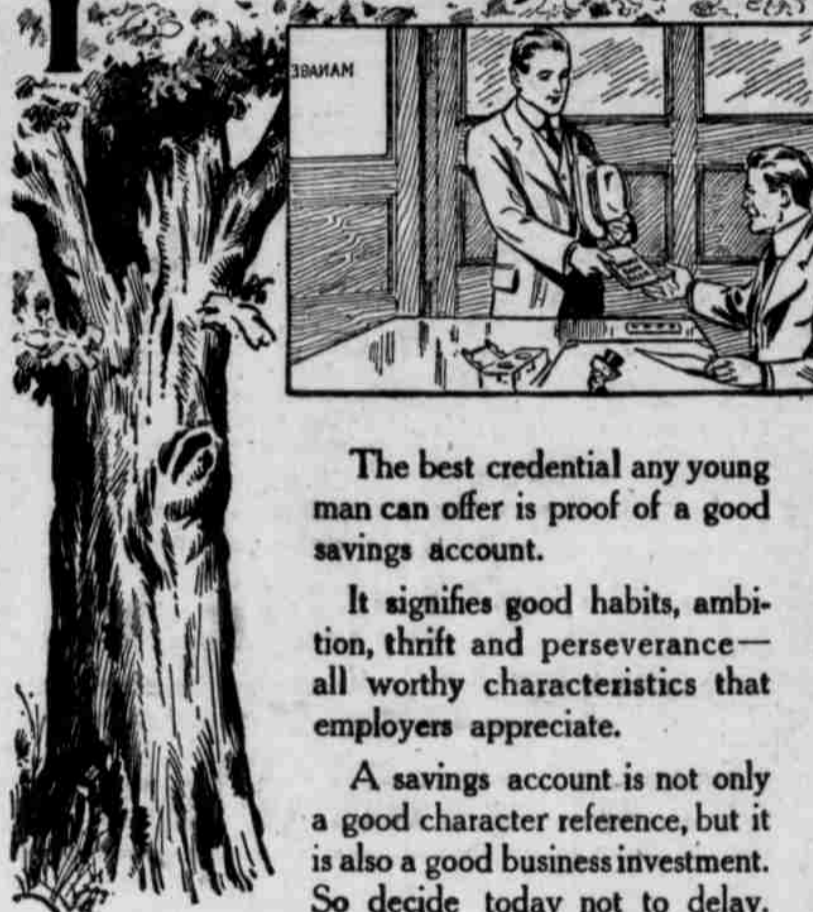
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37TH YEAR.

YALE, St. Clair County, Mich., THURSDAY, October 24, 1918

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Red Cross Proceedings

The annual meeting of Yale Branch Red Cross was held on Tuesday, Oct. 15th.

Meeting was called to order by the chairman.

The chairman of the auditing committee submitted the following financial report for the year ending Oct. 15th:—

RECEIPTS	
Balance Nov. 1917.....	\$ 17 86
Membership—Adult.....	448 00
Membership—Junior.....	5 75
Penny Bags.....	188 06
War Fund, City of Yale.....	725 00
War Fund, Brockway Twp.....	23 00
Donations.....	270 93
Entertainments, etc.....	954 04
Miscellaneous.....	14 50
Total.....	\$2,646 14

DISBURSEMENTS

American Red Cross.....	\$ 224 00
St. Clair Co. War Board.....	75 00
St. Clair Co. Chap. Expense.....	29 16
Supplies.....	1926 91
Sundries.....	38 20
Balance.....	352 87

Total.....\$2,646 14

The chairman of the comfort bag and kit gave the following report for the year ending Oct. 15th:—

Bags and kits given to boys, 43.
Inventory—4 complete bags and kits; 4 bags and kits partly filled; 4 empty; \$16.01 material for bags and kits on hand.

The chairman gave the following work room report for the year ending Oct. 15th:—

Finished articles shipped to St. Clair Co. Chapter:—128 sweaters; 644 pairs socks; 73 helmets; 99 wristlets; 17 mufflers; 92 wipes; 24 wash cloths; 73 hospital shirts; 6 bed socks; 12 pajamas; 7 bath robes; 12 pillows; 3 bed spreads; 1,292 triangle bandages; 53 T-bandages; 17 stump bandages; 23 scutletus bandages; 15 comfort pillows; 51 handkerchiefs; 24 Christmas boxes; 50 property bags; 20 comfort kits; 14 pieces old linen; 1100 lbs. old clothes; 2 boxes fruit pits.

Refugee articles:—16 petticoats; 10 pinafores; 13 chemise; 7 women's blouses; 13 boys' suits; 5 convalescent suits; 3 convalescent coats; 1 summer pajamas 1 layette; 3 infants' shirts.

Donations of finished articles:—6 sweaters; 2 pair socks; 15 pr. wristlets; 15 handkerchiefs; 100 penny bags; 36 wipes; 3 small pillows; 1 layette; 3 infants' shirts; 14 pieces old linen; 24 Christmas boxes; 2 loads wood; sundry bills amounting to \$35.30.

Inventory—29 yds. cotton; 11 sweaters; 2 pr. wristlets; 2 pr. socks; 1 helmet; 4 pajamas; 10 child's undersuits; 3 doz. huck towels; 3 doz. bath towels; 10 doz. handkerchiefs; 1 cord wood.

Motion by E. F. Fead, seconded by Edward Andrae that thirty directors be elected for the ensuing year.—Carried.

Motion by E. F. Fead, seconded by Edward Andrae, that the chairman appoint a committee to nominate directors.—Carried.

Chairman appointed Edw. Andrae, E. F. Fead, N. B. Herbert, Mrs. C. H. Palmer, Mrs. H. C. Martin.

The chairman of the committee read the following list of nominees for the office of directors:—Mrs. Thos. Johnston, Mrs. V. A. Lacy, Jno. Patterson, E. F. Fead, Mrs. Chas. Rounds, Hugh Hodgins, S. B. Barr, Mrs. J. B. Paisley, Freda Holden, Mrs. N. B. Percy, Mrs. N. B. Herbert, F. O. Putney, Alice McKenzie, Alice Doering, Edw. Andrae, H. C. Martin, Earl Rose, Mrs. T. J. Minnie, Mrs. A. Pollock, F. D. Mathews, Edw. Sheehy, Mrs. F. J. Wilt, Mrs. John Menerey, Mrs. A. McNulty, Mrs. John Burton, Mrs. F. W. Andrae, Mrs. Chas. H. Palmer, Mayme Currier, L. R. Fuller, Wm. F. Ruh.

Motion by Mrs. Edward Andrae, seconded by Mrs. A. McNulty, that the list of nominees as read be elected as directors for the ensuing year.—Carried.

Motion by E. F. Fead, seconded by Edw. Andrae that a special meeting of the directors be held on Friday, the 18th, for the purpose of electing officers and such other business as may come before the meeting.—Carried.

No further business appearing the meeting adjourned.

A. M. McKenzie, Sec'y

A special meeting of the directors of

Yale Branch Red Cross was held on Friday, Oct. 18th. Directors present—Mrs. Thos. Johnston, Mrs. V. A. Lacy, E. F. Fead, John Patterson, Mrs. Chas. Rounds, Mrs. J. B. Paisley, Freda Holden, Mrs. N. B. Percy, Mrs. N. B. Herbert, F. O. Putney, Alice McKenzie, H. C. Martin, Mrs. T. J. Minnie, Edw. Sheehy, Mrs. F. J. Wilt, Mrs. J. F. Menerey, Mrs. A. McNulty, Mrs. C. H. Palmer, Mrs. A. Pollock, Mayme Currier, L. R. Fuller, Wm. F. Ruh.

Chairman appointed F. O. Putney and Edw. Sheehy tellers.

Ballot was cast for each office with the following result:—Chairman, Mrs. Thos. Johnston; vice chairman, Mrs. N. B. Percy; secretary, Mayme Currier; treasurer, E. F. Fead.

Motion by E. F. Fead, seconded by John Patterson that \$1,000 of the War Fund of the city of Yale and \$500 of the War Fund of the township of Brookway be transferred to Yale Branch Red Cross for the use of the Chapter.—Carried.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

A. M. McKenzie, Sec'y

Enjoy Reading Expositor.

San Diego, Calif., Oct. 15, 1918
Mr. J. A. Menzies,
Yale, Mich.

Dear friend Jim:—I see by the Expositor which came to us today that it is time to pay up, so please find enclosed \$3.00 which will, I think, square me up to Mar 1920.

We look for the home paper every week and greet it as an old friend, and are intensely interested in the letters it contains from the boys from Yale and vicinity at the front and in training camps. Just finished reading the one from our old-time friend Roy Bricker, who is at Archangel, Russia, and it is very interesting indeed.

We have a large training camp here just outside the city, Camp Kearney by name, and we come in contact with lots of the boys from there, and we are very glad that so many of our own boys from home are in the battle for Democracy. And say, Jim, it looks like the job was going to be done up right before long. "Here's hoping."

Our city will comfortably go "over the top" in the 4th Liberty Loan before the end of the week.

Remember us to all our friends at home, and may you and yours live long and prosper.

Sincerely yours,

Frank B. Newell,
R 3, Box 189
San Diego, Calif.

Montrose, Mich., Oct. 22, 1918

Friend Menzies:—We cannot get along without the Expositor. We tried it one week. All well and busy. Hoping this finds you and family well.

Respectfully yours,

E. B. Fuller

Forward last week's paper.

Military Funeral

The funeral of Fred, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hyde, who died of pneumonia at Great Lakes Camp, was held on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

Services were held at the home by Rev. Crandell, pastor of the M. P. church, with only the family and near relatives in attendance.

On Main street the line of march was taken up by the Girl Scouts carrying flowers, and Boy Scouts, headed by the band, then the hearse, and many automobiles and people on foot.

Reaching the cemetery ranks were broken, and at the grave the usual ceremony was performed and made very impressive by the buglers' call and the gun salute given by the Boy Scouts, six of whom also acted as pall-bearers.

Fred Hyde was only eighteen years of age, but the spirit of bravery and loyalty to his country which he showed and his courage in battling with this dread disease lifts him high in the honor ranks, and although he was not permitted to go "over there" to fight the real battles, he died for his country just as truly as those who do go.

The sympathy of the community is with the grief-stricken family in their hour of sorrow.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish, through the columns of this paper to thank our many friends who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement, to those who furnished the beautiful floral pieces, to the members of the choir, and for the kindness of our pastor.

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OUR SOLDIER BOYS.

Letters From and Items Concerning Yale Boys Who are in the Service of Their Country

Somewhere in France, Sept. 28, '18

James A. Menzies

Dear Sir:—I received a copy of the Expositor of July 25th, and I wish to tell you how good it seemed to get hold of a Yale paper. It is over two months since I left the states and it certainly made me feel good to get some Yale news.

I see that some of our Yale boys are falling on the battlefields now. It seems to wake us up to the fact that there is war when some of the boys we know fall.

I saw the name of John Shoefelt in a Paris paper. It stated that he had died from wounds. My folks wrote and told me about Tom Magner.

I haven't seen a Yale boy since I first landed. I am the only one in the regiment from around Yale. There are some of the boys not very far from here, but it is impossible to go over and see them. Each regiment has its district and we are not allowed out of our district without a pass, and passes are as scarce here as prune trees are in Yale.

There is a Lieutenant in the company I am with, by the name of Hirschberger, who spoke about knowing you and your son. He is secretary of a jewelry concern in Detroit and traveled through Yale for a while and seemed to know quite a few business men in that city.

Well I will close for this time, thanking you for your kindness in sending me the Expositor, I remain,

Yours truly,

Jas. B. Toft, Med. Dept., 340th Inf.,
Amer. Exp. Forces, A. P. F. 789
Via New York

The following contains extracts from a letter written September 20 by Serg't L. J. Menzies somewhere in France to his parents:

Since writing you last we have been drilling hard and are getting down to real work. It is becoming more and more interesting to me every day. When I first got into the artillery, I had never given the subject of the firing of big guns much thought. I imagined that when a battery saw the enemy they set their sights on the target and let fly. But modern warfare is certainly different. Mathematics play a great part. All the firing data is figured out by geometry and algebra and the Captain and Lieutenants have to be up in all branches of mathematics. Very seldom do we see what we are firing at. The guns are all aimed by the commands of an officer some distance away.

I remember you asked me one time how I could stand the noise of the firing. So far it hasn't bothered me a bit. I can stand right alongside of the guns without any cotton in my ears. Now I have some extremely good news to tell you. On Tuesday I was appointed sergeant. As you know, I have been helping the supply sergeant, and when the original vacancy occurred, Capt. Baxter appointed me as ammunition sergeant. It is my duty to keep the guns supplied with the various kinds of shells and fuses, and see that the ammunition is kept in good shape, and I make a daily report.

I know that you will be as pleased as I am to think that I have been advanced. Serg't L. J. Menzies,
Battery C., 329th F. A.,
Amer. Exp. Forces, France

Grant Holden has received word from the hospital physician at Bloomington, Ind., that his son Rex has been very sick with influenza, but is now on the improve.

Word reached Yale last week that Holland Walker had died of influenza at one of the southern army camps.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that to protect the public health it is found necessary to order that no public gatherings be held in the city, that all children be kept off the streets except when going on errands, that each household and business place use disinfectants, and urge that every precaution as regards cleanliness be used.

By Order of

Board of Health, Yale

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---FRED TAYLOR---

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